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Clever Cae Made of Them by Ireland In His Shekespearean Forgeries-Elaborate Designs Impressed by the "Dandy" Boller-The Bogus Virgin Mary Letter.

Storics and incidents innumerable are wound up in the art of paper making, and its mechanical processes have afforded to the ingenious story teller many a chance for a thrilling tale.

This is especially true of the system of placing water marks, so called, in various brands or makes of paper.

Perhaps the most interesting true story which has to do with this branch of the industry is that of the famous 'Ireland's Confessions."

Ireland had fabricated some Shakespeare manuscripts, which for a long time were accepted as actual. They made such an impression indeed that a number of men, famous at that time for their erudition and for their literary standing, voluntarily prepared a testimonial attesting absolute belief in the authenticity of the manuscripts. To this document these men affixed their signatures and sent the paper broadcast.

The whole of the original edition of the fakes was disposed of in a few hours, and so great was the eagerness for the edition that single copies were disposed of in auction rooms at enormous prices. Some time after that Ireland himself

threw these gentlemen into much sorfun with them. Iroland's story was that the sheet of paper which he used was the outside of

several others on which some accounts had been kept during the reign of Charles I. At that time Ireland was whoily unacquainted with the subject of water marks.

"I carefully selected," says he, "two half sheets not having any mark whatever, on which I penned my first effusion." A few pages further on he wrote: "Being thus urged forward to the production of more manuscripts, it became necessary that I should possess a sufficient quantity of old paper to enable me to proceed, in consequence of which I applied to a bookseller, who, for the sum of 5 shillings, suffered me to take from all the folio and quarto volumes in his shop the fly leaves which they contained.

with that commodity, nor did I fear unaided, being given up by physicians, le strongheoing with that commonly, not the bookseller. As I was fully aware, medicines without the least effect, until STARKE DRIVE from the variety of water marks which are in existence at the present day, that they must have constantly been altered since the period of Elizabeth, and being the can refer to me at any time as to the LUKE DRAWDEY. for some time wholly unacquainted with effect of P. P. in the foregoing case. the water marks of that age, I very carefully produced my first specimens of the writing on such sheets of old paper as

had no mark whatever. "Having heard it frequently stated the jug on them I produced the succeed | Paris Herald. ing manuscripts upon these, being careful, however, to mingle with them a most conversant with the manuscripts."

A traveler in Messina was once shown a letter written by the Virgin Mary with her own hand. He remarked that it must indeed be a miracle, since the paper showed by its water mark that it the age of Mary.

It is the greatest mystery to most people how water marks are made. And yet the matter is the simplest thing in the world. In the manufacture of paper the pulp, before it has begun to be dried and after it has been spread on the moving platform, passes under a roller called the "dandy." On this "dandy" is affixed the device which works the water mark.

presses the paper it presses into it the

mark. In the same manner most elaborate designs and even pictures and intricate representations of whole battle scenes have been done from an engraved plate similar to an electrotype, used in the

same manner on the "dandy" roller. Of course check paper and bank paper is the most important variety distinguished by water marks. In a pair of £5 note molds prepared by the old process there are 8 curved borders, 16 figures, 168 large waves and 240 letters, which had all to be separatedly secured

by the finest wire to the curved surface. There were 1,056 wires and 67,584 twists and the same repetition where the stout wires were introduced to sup-

port the under surface.

In ancient times the water marks were used for the same purposes as the old inn signs. The old inns had dolls you women have come forward with a new and beehives, horses and various other Blanton & Cameron, Hampton. forms as signs. For the same reason the paper makers had some distinguishing mark which made their product distinct

from that of other makers. A very frmous mark of the sixteenth century was the handmark—a hand topped with a star. The jug or pot mark lem. Little Johnny listened to him for gave the name to the "pot" paper, while | quite awhile. He then whispered to his the foolscap mark used on paper of a mother, "Manuna, is he an advance

which it retains to this day. The post paper was so called because it bore a mark of a shield with a post est dose that performs a cure is the best. born on it.-London Letters.

A Delicate Distinction.

"Did you say you wanted Shakespeare's works?" asked the book store STORED AN EMPTY BARREL

Mine Months In a Storage Warehouse and

Three Cartages Paid on It. "I got my furniture out of storage the other may," said a New Yorker, "and my wife and I thought we would unpack the china and brig a leas ourselves, instead of paying 50 cents an hour to the storage men to do it. The stuff was packed in twe barrels, one of which, we poticed, was lighter than

"When we began to unpack that one, we concluded that it must contain our most fragily paticles of verta, for we first came across a layer of execusion and soft paper a foot in thickness. Below this was another layer, equally thick, and when we had buil numbered the barrel and tound nothing but excelcion and soft paper we knew not what to

"We were still more flabberguated on finding no china on removing the packing. We of coarse concluded that our things had been stolen and repreached purseives for our false ecopony in doing the unpacking curselves, for it is a raie of the storage concern we patronized not to pay for any switcles broken or miseing upless its men do the anpacking.

"As we missed nothing when the other bascels had been unpecked, my wife | cudgeled her brain to explain the mystery. She finally remembered that when we gave up housekeeping, 116 years ago, there was a lot of excelsior left over when the china had been packed. In a At of economy she poked it all in a superfluous barrel, which was duly headed row by explaining just how he had had up and carted to the hotel where we spent the winter. It was stored in the garret without being unpacked, and in the spring was sent to the storage ware-

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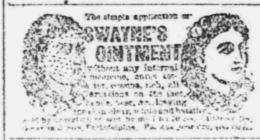
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